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FYI

Regards

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After a momentary silence spake  
Some Vessel of a more ungainly Make;  
"They sneer at me for leaning all awry:  
"What! did the Hand then of the Potter shake?"  
 [Water: What is it Worth to You?](#)

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FYI- Water Supply Division TOP staff are out onsite at the city of Victoria update below. I believe AWOP staff are arriving soon.

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All,

Clayton and city staff have been up all night at the plant. Last night when Clayton arrived the plant was producing 35 NTU (essentially producing lake water). Clayton discovered that their coagulant feed line was leaking/broken which was below grade and not making it to the raw water. They have bypassed the feed line above grade and coagulant line appears to be working. This morning they were producing 8 NTU(goal for now is 5 NTU). They are doing jar tests and continuing to make

adjustments but are seeing the plant start to turn over. Clayton is seeing a possible issue on the coagulant pump as well and so they are getting tech support for that now. He will call me if he thinks we need resources for help on the pump. Clayton has city staff out flushing the distribution lines to keep water moving and checking for leaks. It will take some time to stabilize the plant and get the bad water out and the good water in. The City was not operating the plant 24/7 but they are now.

As soon as I hear anything I will provide another update. CM